

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 275

By Graves

A RESOLUTION to honor Rebecca Ann Sinclair, 1997
valedictorian of Greenbrier High School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Rebecca Ann Sinclair is one such outstanding student who has distinguished herself as valedictorian of the 1997 class at Greenbrier High School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Rebecca has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, in her laudable high school career, Rebecca has earned an exceptional 4.0 grade point average and is the highest ranking member of her class; and

WHEREAS, Rebecca has evidenced her intelligence and her commitment to excellence by means of her laudable participation in Mu Alpha Theta, Beta Club, Key Club, Spanish Club, Future Teachers of America and Business Professionals of America; and

WHEREAS, voted Most Intellectual by the senior class, Rebecca has been honored with a Citizenship Award; awarded Honors Certificates in the advanced courses; and was honored in the 1995 edition of *Who's Who Among American High School Students*; awarded a full scholarship to Devry Institute of Technology in Georgia where she will begin classes in the fall; and

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WHEREAS, Rebecca's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, an extremely well-rounded young woman, Rebecca has participated in the Adopt-A-Highway and Adopt-A-Child programs; donated food to the Robertson County Food Bank; and volunteered at a kitchen in Nashville to help feed the homeless; and

WHEREAS, Rebecca's noteworthy achievement is a great source of pride for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sinclair, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Rebecca's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby honor 1997 High School valedictorian, Rebecca Ann Sinclair, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.